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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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SUBJECT : Rating Scale Conversion Factors

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1. In looking at the old scale and associated VEM GRD values, I propose, tentatively, the following factors to convert the present data in the AHF to the new scale

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<u>Old Scale</u>		<u>GRD</u>	<u>New</u>
Rating	0	-	0
Rating	1 > 30°	15-30	2
	1 < 30°	8-15	3
Rating	2 > 30°	8-15	3
	2 < 30°	4- 8	4
Rating	3 > 30°	4- 8	4
	3 < 30°	2.5-4	5
Rating	4	1.3-2.5	6

2. The question of 8 data conversions in NPIC IIS will also have to be addressed. There are obvious discrepancies between 8 and 9 ratings, however. Perhaps, if necessary, we could incorporate the other photo reference parameters in the conversion (e.g, the good, fair, poor ratings and clear, stereo, etc.). A preliminary proposal, not looking at these parameters, is:

<u>Old Scale</u>		<u>GRD</u>	<u>New</u>
Rating	0	-	0
Rating	1	8-15	3
Rating	2	4-8	4
Rating	3	2.5-4	5
Rating	4	1.3-2.5	6
Rating	5	0.67-1.3	7

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3. At any rate, we are going to have to have to consider the para. 1 problem soon, so that [] can get to work on the programming required.

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